PUBLIC WORKS
III3 BROADWAY
P.O. BOX 218
HIGHLAND, IL 62249

MFT BID AWARDS

- Beelman Truck
 Co. Seal Coat
 Furnish &
 Delivered (CM-13
 & Slag).
- Mike Maedge Trucking - CA6, CA7 (limestone), FA6 (granular fill), H F E - I 5 0 Furnished and a p p I i e d (emulsion).
- Don Anderson
 C o . M C 8 0 0
 Prime Furnished
 & Applied.
- De Laurent Construction-Seal Coat Hauled and Spread (oil & chip).

Joe Gillespie Director

Mike Lengermann Supervisor ST & A

Russ Parker
Supervisor W & S

Bill Zimmer
Supervisor WRF

Mike Buss
Supervisor WTP

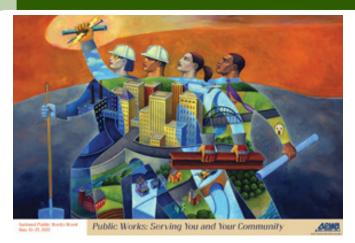
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NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK

May 16—20 has been National Public Works Week. The purpose is to celebrate of the tens of thousands of men and women in North America who provide and maintain the infrastructure and services collectively known as public works.

National Public Works Week was instituted as a public education campaign by the American Public Works Association (APWA) in 1960 to call attention to the importance of public works in community life, seeking to enhance the prestige of the often-unsung heroes of our society-the professionals who serve the public good every day with quiet dedication.

The Highland Public Works Department has 24 full time employees and four divisions.

- Highland's Street & Alley (ST & A) division consistently provides cost-effective, high-quality services to the citizens of Highland to create a high standard of living for the community. Staffed by a seven man crew, the S & A division maintains 65 miles of roadways, 35 miles of sidewalks, along with maintaining the City's storm sewer system, and street signs. The crew also provides a variety of other services throughout the year including snow removal, grass mowing, and spraying weeds within the right-of-way, street sweeping, tree pruning, and mosquito abatement.
- Highland's Water & Sewer (W & S) division is made up of a six man crew. Their responsibilities include water main installation, water main repair, fire hydrant flushing, fire hydrant testing, sanitary sewer main jetting, and manhole maintenance. The division has a total of 67 miles of water mains and 42 miles of sanitary sewer mains that they are tasked with keeping in good working order.
- Highland's Water Reclamation Facility (WRF) is operated by a four man crew. Forty two miles
 of sanitary sewer lines deposit material to the plant from around town. The facility processes an
 average of 1.1 million gallons per day and has the capability to increase processing to 1.6 million
 gallons a day.
- Highland's Water Treatment Plant (WTP) is operated by a four man crew. Their daily duties involve the production and supply of drinking water to the cities of Highland, St. Jacob, Grantfork, and Pierron. The plant operators produce an average of 1.2 million gallons of water per day. Looking forward, the plant is capable of producing up to 4.2 million gallons per day.